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FEET TRANSMITTAL for FY 2004

Effective 10/01/2003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$ **\$624.00**)

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

| Large Entity | Small Entity | Fee Code (\$) | Fee Code (\$) | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
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| 1001 | 770 | 2001 | 385 | Utility filing fee | <input type="text"/> 0.00 |
| 1002 | 340 | 2002 | 170 | Design filing fee | <input type="text"/> 0.00 |
| 1003 | 530 | 2003 | 265 | Plant filing fee | <input type="text"/> 0.00 |
| 1004 | 770 | 2004 | 385 | Reissue filing | <input type="text"/> 0.00 |
| 1005 | 160 | 2005 | 80 | Provisional filing fee | <input type="text"/> 0.00 |
| SUBTOTAL (1) | | (\$) | | \$0.00 | |

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND

| Extra Claims | Fee from below | Fee Paid |
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| Total Claims <input type="text"/> -20** = <input type="text"/> 7 X <input type="text"/> 9.00 = <input type="text"/> 63.00 | | |
| Independent Claims <input type="text"/> - 3** = <input type="text"/> 2 X <input type="text"/> 43.00 = <input type="text"/> 86.00 | | |
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| Large Entity | Small Entity | Fee Code (\$) | Fee Code (\$) | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
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| 1202 | 18 | 2202 | 9 | Claims in excess of 20 | |
| 1201 | 86 | 2201 | 43 | Independent claims in excess of 3 | |
| 1203 | 290 | 2203 | 145 | Multiple dependent claim, if not paid | |
| 1204 | 86 | 2204 | 43 | ** Reissue independent claims over original patent | |
| 1205 | 18 | 2205 | 9 | ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent | |
| SUBTOTAL (2) | | (\$) | | \$149.00 | |

****or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above**

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Small Entity

| Fee Code (\$) | Fee Code (\$) | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
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| 1051 | 130 | 2051 65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath | <input type="text"/> |
| 1052 | 50 | 2052 25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet | <input type="text"/> |
| 1053 | 130 | 1053 130 Non - English specification | <input type="text"/> |
| 1812 | 2,520 | 1812 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination | <input type="text"/> |
| 1804 | 920* | 1804 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action | <input type="text"/> |
| 1805 | 1,840* | 1805 1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action | <input type="text"/> |
| 1251 | 110 | 2251 55 Extension for reply within first month | <input type="text"/> |
| 1252 | 420 | 2252 210 Extension for reply within second month | <input type="text"/> |
| 1253 | 950 | 2253 475 Extension for reply within third month | <input type="text"/> 475.00 |
| 1254 | 1,480 | 2254 740 Extension for reply within fourth month | <input type="text"/> |
| 1255 | 2,010 | 2255 1,005 Extension for reply within fifth month | <input type="text"/> |
| 1401 | 330 | 2401 165 Notice of Appeal | <input type="text"/> |
| 1402 | 330 | 2402 165 Filing a brief in support of an appeal | <input type="text"/> |
| 1403 | 290 | 2403 145 Request for oral hearing | <input type="text"/> |
| 1451 | 1,510 | 1451 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding | <input type="text"/> |
| 1452 | 110 | 2452 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable | <input type="text"/> |
| 1453 | 1,330 | 2453 665 Petition to revive - unintentional | <input type="text"/> |
| 1501 | 1,330 | 2501 665 Utility issue fee (or reissue) | <input type="text"/> |
| 1502 | 480 | 2502 240 Design issue fee | <input type="text"/> |
| 1503 | 640 | 2503 320 Plant issue fee | <input type="text"/> |
| 1460 | 130 | 1460 130 Petitions to the Commissioner | <input type="text"/> |
| 1807 | 50 | 1807 50 Processing fee under 37 CFR § 1.17(q) | <input type="text"/> |
| 1806 | 180 | 1806 180 Submission of Information Disclosure Statement | <input type="text"/> |
| 8021 | 40 | 8021 40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) | <input type="text"/> |
| 1809 | 770 | 2809 385 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a)) | <input type="text"/> |
| 1810 | 770 | 2810 385 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b)) | <input type="text"/> |
| 1801 | 770 | 2801 385 Request for Continued Examination (RCE) | <input type="text"/> |
| 1802 | 900 | 1802 900 Request for expedited examination of a design application | <input type="text"/> |

Other fee (specify) _____

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SUBTOTAL (3)

(\$) **\$475.00**

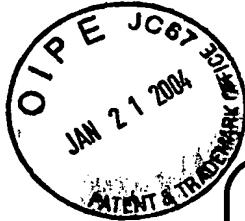
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| Signature | | | | Date | 16 January 2004 |

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Examiner Name

Wong, L.

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Attorney Docket Number

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ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)

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Remarks

This Response is being submitted with a Request for a 3-Month Extension of Time to file, along with the appropriate fee of \$475.00. Two new sheets of drawings are being submitted. The Response has resulted in the addition of new claims for which the excess claims fee of \$149.00 is being submitted.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT

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Date

16 January 2004

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